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1. On 3 August 1950, two Soviet Generals in uniform visited Svilengrad travelling in a light passenger car. They inspected school houses and buildings in town suitable for billeting troops.
2. The majority of the instructors at the Military School, Vasil Levski, in Sofia consists of Soviet officers.
3. The Soviet General Novikov is permanently stationed in Plovdiv. He wears his uniform in public and is a frequent visitor of the Officer's Club, located on Stantsionna Street, in the Public Park (Gradska Gradina). He is generally accompanied by two civilians. The driver of his car and the aforementioned civilians are Soviet nationals, and it is assumed that they act as body-guards for the General.

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